# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES
# LOK SABHA

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LOSS INCURRING CPSUs
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**Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:**

(a) the number of Central Public Sector Undertakings (CPSUs) incurring losses during the last three years, state-wise;

(b) whether any budgetary support has been provided by the Union Government to these undertakings during the said period;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) the number of employees retrenched due to losses in these CPSUs during the said period;and

(e) the corrective steps taken/being taken by the Government for revival of these CPSUs?

## Answer

THE MINISTER OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SHRI SONTOSH MOHAN DEV)

(a): During the last three years i.e. 2003-04, 2004-05 and 2005-06 the number of loss making Central Public Sector Enterprises (CPSEs) were 90, 81 and 58 respectively. The state-wise details of these CPSEs are given at Annex. I.

(b)&(c): Details of budgetary support given by the Government to the CPSEs, are given in Volume 1 of Expenditure Budget of the respective years.

(d)and(e): A Board for Reconstruction of Public Sector Enterprises (BRPSE) was constituted in December,2004 inter alia to consider the cases of sick CPSEs for making suitable recommendations to the goverment.
The concerned administrative Ministries/Departments make references of sick CPSEs to the BRPSE seeking its recommendations and thereafter obtain the approval of the competent authority. Based on the recommendations of the BRPSE, the Government has approved revival schemes in respect of 25 CPSEs till 28.2.2007.The revival package of respective CPSE addresses the issue of surplus employees,if any, through Voluntary Retirement Scheme (VRS) /Voluntary Sep;aration Scheme (VSS) as the case may be.